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Madison, Wisconsin -- Erik C. Peterson, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Jose Olivas-Lopez, 54, was sentenced yesterday by U.S. District Judge John C. Shabaz to 60 months (five years) in prison without parole, for distribution of one kilogram of cocaine.

United States Attorney Peterson stated that the charges followed an investigation conducted by the Drug Enforcement Administration and the Dane County Narcotics and Gang Task Force. Prosecution of this case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorney Timothy M. O'Shea.

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